REMARKS

Applicants submit this Preliminary Amendment to provide a substitute drawing. The image contained in the lower right hand corner of Figure 2 in this new drawing is the highest qualify image available. The specific details of the text or subportions of the image are not relevant to what is being portrayed in the drawing. The relevant information in the drawing, which is more than adequately shown, is that there are regions of different intensity that are dictated by positions along the X and Y axes. Thus, the drawing submitted with this amendment satisfies the provisions of 37 CFR 1.84 and 1.121.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Preliminary Amendment prior to examination of the present application.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE APPLICATION

Please substitute the previously submitted Figure 2 with the substitute Figure 2, now submitted with this Preliminary Amendment.